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Random Briefs

CALGARY SETS NEW RECORD

With \$404,946.95 collected in prepayment of taxes in ten days, the City of Calgary set a new record, as the highest ten day prepayment period before this was \$332,972.29. The city being at a deadlock with New York over exchange on the two million dollar bond payment due January 1st, has caused a shortage of cash for use by the city. But the citizens have come gallantly to the rescue and helped the city over the present immediate obstacles at least.

TWO WOUNDED IN BANK HOLD-UP

Two members of the Bank of Montreal staff in Vancouver were slightly injured on Friday, thugs, who escaped with about when the bank was held up by \$3,500 after shooting C. E. Coombe, cashier, and nicking C. W. Harrison in the hand. About 20 shots were exchanged, and the fixtures, etc., of the building, were badly damaged. The thugs escaped in a car, which was manned by a confederate, and which was shot at by the Bank Manager and one of the clerks shot into the car, making it easier of identification, and probably hitting some of the men.

WOMAN SLAYER PAYS PENALTY

Ancilla Preville, who shot and killed Mrs. Joseph London last year at St. Daniel, was hanged at Joliet prison at 7:02 Friday and pronounced dead 12 minutes later by physicians.

SAFEGWAY SUPERVISOR MOVED TO CALGARY

Walter J. Kraft, who has for some time acted as Supervisor of Safeway Branch stores in Southern Alberta and South eastern British Columbia has been transferred from Lethbridge to Calgary. Mr. and Mrs. Kraft left for their new home early last week.

TWO DIE WHEN CAR DIVES INTO LAKE

Mr. and Mrs. W. Androsoff, of Arrowwood, Alberta, were both drowned in Kootenay Lake, on Friday night last as they were driving from Arrowwood to Brilliant, B. C. to visit with relatives of the Doukhobor Colony at that place. William Fofonoff was driving, and he mistook the ferry approach for the road, and when he recognized the mistake, he applied the brakes, but the car skidded and plunged into the icy waters of the lake. The three survivors were William Cherstibitoff, Joe Novak, and William Fofonoff, who escaped after breaking a window, but the elderly couple were dead before they could be brought to safety on the bank.

One of L. L. Palmer's twins had an attack of the pneumonia over the week-end and was quite sick, but was better toward the first of the week.

In honor of their 15th wedding anniversary, M. and Mrs. F. R. Taylor entertained five tables of bridge on Monday evening. The host and hostess were the recipients of a beautiful table mirror and console set in crystal. High scores went to Mrs. C. D. Compton and Mr. S. B. Card. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Compton, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Card, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zabriskie, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Leech, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Asplund, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wing, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. L. Brewerton, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gaetz and Mrs. D. Ellison.

News Notes

RENEW YOUR RECORDER SUBSCRIPTION NOW

Wilmer Stevenson, a farmer residing near Lethbridge, was attacked by a bull Thursday, and died in hospital Friday.

A number of Raymond people were in Magrath on Saturday evening last to hear Wm. Ervine, M.P., and other speakers at the political meeting held there.

ATTENTION! All singers of both wards. The Sunday practice has been changed from the Second Ward Chapel to the H. School, and the hour for same is 4 p.m. Please note.

C. O. Asplund and T. R. Watson were amongst Raymond visitors to Lethbridge on Saturday, who had the joy of coming home in the storm at night.

The west wind was quite strong Monday night, but Tuesday morning there was no wind and the weather had moderated considerably.

The yearly audit of the books of the Town, School and Municipality is now going ahead, and the financial statements will soon be ready for the Ratepayers meeting.

There isn't much noise yet about our Civic elections for the coming year, and the time is getting shorter every day. There should be some action.

Jedediah Morgan Grant, aged 79, brother of Pres. Heber J. Grant of the LDS Church, died in Salt Lake City on Jan. 11 in the hospital there. He was a Patriarch of the Big Horn Stake in Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Compton entertained at bridge on Friday evening, January 13th. Seven tables were in play. High scores were won by Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Asplund and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Taylor. The guests included Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Leech, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Card, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zabriskie, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wing, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Allen, Mrs. L. L. Pack, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. L. Brewerton, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Asplund, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. L. Brandley and Miss E. Wall-scott.

In complement to Mr. and Mrs. D. Ellison of Waterlakes, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Leech entertained at a delightful dinner Wednesday evening. Covered table was tastefully decorated with pink snapdragons and candles to match.

Bridge was enjoyed by the remainder of the evening. The high score was won by Mr. A. H. Zabriskie.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brewerton, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Card, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zabriskie, Mr. and Mrs. D. Compton.

EPIDEMIC OF FLU HITS ENGLAND

Between fog and the flu, England had a distressing week end. 1,800 policemen in London were stricken down with the flu, and millions were disappointed over the football matches because of the heavy blizzard of fog which covered the lands. Due to the worrying time the fortune tellers are reported to be doing a big business.

T. Geo. Wood Heads Board of Trade Again

The Annual Meeting of the Raymond Board of Trade was held Monday evening, January 16, 1933, with Pres. T. Geo. Wood in the chair and a good attendance of members and visitors present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted, and the President reported that in connection with the enlargement of Municipal Districts, that the Executives of the Municipalities had turned the proposal down by a big majority and that he hardly expected anything more would be done in the matter, for the present at least.

Several letters had been sent out in connection with the subject of last month, viz. Dairying, and that as a result a great many letters had been received, and several offers had been received from many speakers and those interested in the sale of Dairy stock to come to Raymond whenever the opportunity offered and speak to those interested on the matters of Dairying and the Dairy industry.

While in Edmonton the President had interviewed Mr. H. A. Craig regarding a Short Course School here again this year, and Mr. Craig had intimated that while the Government was trying to curtail expenses if there was sufficient demand to justify it, a Short Course School could be arranged and that if desired, the subject of Dairying could be featured in the lectures and demonstrations.

The President then referred to the business of the evening, mainly the reorganization of the Board of Trade, and felt that while attendance was sometimes discouraging the good work of the organization had been and was now, too valuable to let lapse. He congratulated those present on their attendance and urged them to keep it up and make the Board what it should be.

The financial statement was then read and accepted, after which, Mr. Wood presented the President's report, which included a resume of the activities of the past year, including the Short Course School, the Annual Banquet, the Big Stampede in July, and various other activities the organization had undertaken, and was pleased with the success that had attended all these undertakings. The report was accepted, and the President expressed his appreciation of the unceasing and effective work.

The meeting was then opened for nominations, and the following were elected for the coming year, by acclamation, there being only nominations enough to fill the vacancies and make up the Committees.

President - T. George Wood.

Vice-President - O. Raymond Knight.

Secretary-Treasurer - S. I. May.

Executive Committee - A. D. Woolley, Chairman, C. Compton, G. W. Leech, Wm. G. Meeks and T. O. King.

Membership Committee - J. D. Hall, Chairman, D. M. Jewelson, O. J. Rolfsen, Paul Dahl, George Ralph, and Stewart B. Card.

Road Committee - Wm. G. Meeks, Chairman, L. D. King, and J. Wm. Evans.

Program Committee - Chas. O. Asplund, Chairman, Jess Larson and Alma E. Hancock.

A general discussion then followed regarding aims and objects for the coming year, and the appointment of the program Committee really grew out of this discussion, looking to the supplying of a snappy speech or discussion some timely subject each month. The slogan of the year for 1933 will be "More Civic Pride for Raymond and Citizens," and it is expected that some real results will be noticed before the year is over.

The meeting adjourned at a late hour with a determination to make a drive for 150 members for 1933, feeling that the benefits bestowed upon the community by the organization should ensure that many supporters.

Raymond School Board Introduces Use of Scrip

The first issue of scrip, or Town Warrants to the School Teachers and employees at our schools, was made out this week following conferences last week between the Council and the School Board, and between the School Board and representatives of the Staff.

The proposition was suggested that the teachers accept their payment, commencing January 1st, 1933, as follows: Negotiable scrip, 40 p.c.; Non-negotiable scrip, 30 p.c.; Cash 30 p.c. and to this proposition the teachers assented. In some cases the non-negotiable scrip may be held as a note, and later on may be redeemed, but in most cases, it will be turned into the town for taxes and water rates, which in the case of most of the teachers can and will be the case.

The use of the scrip by the School Board, has followed a year of intense, but rather unsuccessful effort to make collections enough on the school tax list to pay the expenses of the school as the year proceeded, and also to satisfy the Banks on the arrears of the School account. Collections have been fair, but the difficulty has increased monthly, and because of the scarcity of cash, and inability to pay each month the teachers have been somewhat embarrassed from time to time and it is hoped that the present arrangement will work to the mutual advantage of both Town School Board and Staff and also to the advantage of the Bank, as it may give the Board an opportunity to pay off back indebtedness and get square with the world again.

Weekly Newspaper Men Hold Convention

The Annual Convention of the Weekly Newspaper Association of Alberta was held in the Palliser Hotel, Calgary, last Friday and Saturday, and many valuable and timely subjects were discussed and talked about by the editors.

Among the guest speakers at the Convention were Col. J. H. Woods, Managing Editor of the Calgary Herald, John Wadell, Editor of the Alberta Farmer, L. D. Nesbitt, Publicity agent of the Alberta wheat pool, Colin G. Groff, Publicity Agent of the Alberta Government, A. C. MacKay, Secretary of the Alberta Retailers Association, and John Burns of the Burns Packing Interests, Western Chairman of the Dominion Manufacturers Association. All of these

speakers bought out points of importance, and Fred Turnbull of the Red Deer Advocate, and D. O. Wight of the Cardston News, also contributed papers to the Convention.

The Editors and partners were the guests of the Mid-west Paper Co. at a quiet Friday evening, and of the Palace Theatre as well.

In the election of officers on Saturday, the south was highly honored when D. O. Wight of Cardston was elected President for the coming year, and Mrs. A. H. Edwards of Pincher Creek and F. T. Halliwell of Coleman were elected to the Executive Committee.

It was the pleasure of Ye Ed. to be in attendance at all the sessions of the Convention.

Can You Answer These Questions Correctly?

WAS 1869 THE GOLD RUSH DATE? OMAHA HOTTER THAN BOMBAY? CAN YOU ANSWER THIS QUIZ?

Some of these Questions are True, Others False—Tell Which Is Which, and Win Tickets for "The Sporting Age"

What is your "fifty-fifty" quota" on Western history, statistics and topography?

Did the famous gold rush take place in 1869? Is Omaha hotter than Bombay? Is Los Angeles larger than New York City? Is the Grand Canyon 460 miles long?

If you can answer these questions and ten others, all of which are listed in the box below, you have an excellent chance to be one of ten winners in a "True-False" Contest being sponsored by the Raymond Recorder and the Capitol Theatre to discover just how well Raymondites are acquainted with the romantic and historic West.

The first ten who submit correct answers to all questions will receive FREE tickets to see Jack Holt in his latest picture "THE SPORTING AGE" which is showing at The Capitol next Monday and Tuesday, January 23rd and 24th. Submit all answers to Box Office of Capitol Theatre.

"Belle of Barcelona" Is Well Presented

A good crowd was present at the Capitol Theatre on Thursday night of last week to see the production of the operetta "Belle of Barcelona" presented by Lynn Gibb, and the entire performance was a treat and thoroughly enjoyed by the crowd.

The music was of a character that made its interpretation within the scope of the average performer, and this added much to the quality of the performance. Then, too, with the splendid acoustics of the Capitol Theatre, every word of solo or ensemble could be distinctly heard and the audience was not left to guess here and there and fill in what was lacking because of not hearing. All of the performers are to be complimented for the splendid interpretation they gave to their parts, and the enjoyment they afforded Raymond people.

Nor should we forget the costumes and the special scenery prepared by Mr. E. E. Reithman of Magrath, who is an artist of rare ability, and which was the cause of a great deal of favorable comment. Come again, Magrath.

The performance here made the fourth presentation of this operetta in the towns of Southern Alberta, having been presented twice in Magrath, in Cardston, and here last Thursday night.

Magrath Takes Game

Magrath won a hotly contested game from Raymond on Tuesday night at the local rink, when they won the game with a 5-4 score.

Fast skating and good stick handling featured the game, and the crowd got a breath-taker when Ehler and another Magrath player collided, and Ehler had to be carried off the ice.

One of the best crowds ever attending a local hockey game was on hand to witness this struggle which was quite even from start to finish and furnished plenty of excitement.

14-Nevada is called the Lone Star State

Name Address

- True False (Check 1 only)
- 1-The big San Francisco fire occurred in 1903
 - 2-The capital of New Mexico is Albuquerque
 - 3-The famous California gold rush occurred in 1869
 - 4-More in Indian are in the U.S. today than in 1865
 - 5-California has more square miles than Texas
 - 6-Omaha has a higher record temperature than Bombay
 - 7-Arizona was the last Western state to enter the Union
 - 8-Los Angeles is larger in area than New York City
 - 9-Yosemite National Park is in Oregon
 - 10-The Grand Canyon is 4000 miles long
 - 11-Yellowstone National Park is in Wyoming
 - 12-The great American desert is in Colorado
 - 13-The Pudget Sound is a waterway to Seattle

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CIVIC PROBLEMS OF THE PRESENT

The constant drop of water wears away the roughest stone, and the only means of gaining one's point is to keep hammering away continually at the subject.

We are nearing the civic elections for 1933. That there are problems before the officials elected none will deny, and that the filling of public positions in these times is fraught with anxiety and brain sweat goes without saying. Now, Mr. Citizen and Voter, if you are really interested in the affairs of the town and district you will admit that these times are the times when the best material in the district should be serving on our public bodies. How are they going to get there unless someone takes the time and trouble to get their permission to nominate them, and then goes ahead and not only gets signs for their nomination papers, but also works for them and their cause between now and election time.

There are few men who are anxious to take any of these jobs. It is likely to require some persuasion but we have men in the town who are well adapted to fill in in these precarious times, and to give the town the benefit of their advice and counsel at a time when it will be very beneficial. Why not get some of these men now? Surely there is no place in civic affairs for party feelings, for petty jealousies, nor for personal axe-grinding. If we cannot unite in these matters and bow to the will of the majority and work for the common good, then our prattle and talk about democracy, civilization and progress is valueless.

We always have our civic council the eternal question of better roads, the useless avenues which cut diagonally through the corners of our town, arrears of taxes, unsold lots, sewage disposal, more sidewalks, better crossings, etc. ad infinitum. With the School Board the yearly question of staff. With him the next ninety days or so, contracts will be signed for the 1933-34 term. What will be the deciding factors in the personnel of next year's staff. We have a number of unemployed teachers in our midst, most of them local people. Will they be put to work next year? The

School Board has been in difficulty with the banks, and have had much difficulty in payment of salaries, what attitude should and will be taken in this matter this year?

Need we say more to point out the necessity for sane and careful thought in our coming civic elections?

JOIN THE BOARD OF TRADE

Mr. and Mrs. Citizen, during the next two weeks or so, the membership drive for Board of Trade membership will be on, and you will likely be canvassed to join up at the modest membership fee of \$1 per year, which will not hurt any individual, but will help the Board of Trade to carry out its program of civic development and progress.

There are many reasons why you should support the Board of Trade, not only by paying your membership, but also by attending at least a fair share of the meetings which are held by this organization. Enough has been done already in the way of civic improvement, advancement and achievement, that the present generation could well afford to dig up \$1 per year as long as they live and still be in debt to the Board of Trade, because of the benefits that will outlive even the youngest of us among which may be mentioned the Sugar Factory, our splendid all-weather roads in the south, the Agricultural School which operated here for several years, and other things, not entirely due to the untiring efforts of the Board of Trade.

The argument is sometimes raised that the Board of Trade is a clique, that it is dominated by a few men, and so on and so forth, which is all just so much baloney. If it is a clique, is it because it is wanted that way, or is it because there are so few take the trouble to attend the meetings, that it can be dominated by a few, may be true at times, as sometimes meetings are held with as few as ten members present. Whose fault is this? Where were the members who the attendance 6 times 10? If the men you want are not running the Board of Trade, get out and put the men there you do want. That is your privilege.

This year there are a number of weighty problems coming up, and the disposition of these things, and the final action taken on them will mean much to Raymond and district. Good programs will be provided each month, and the results of the membership drive will be the yardstick of measurement, or the taking of the pulse of the town and district regarding progress and civic pride. Dig down, folks!

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News Notes

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A new Bulgarian princess was born to King Boris and his wife on Friday, January 13th.

The Brooks Bulletin has started 1933 by putting out an all home-print paper. Congratulations, Brooks.

A man in Windsor, Ont. addressing a graduating class, said he believed that days of large fortunes were past. He might have meant that the first people nowadays, knew this to be the case.

Taber at Raymond Wednesday night. The sugar boys proved "sugar" to the local six who trounced them 9 goals to 1. — Taber Times. And that is the way this paper tells the story of the game.

Joseph Black, and aged resident of Lethbridge, who lived on the river bottom, disappeared on January 6th, and has not been seen or heard of since. He was accompanied by a neighbor's dog which is also still missing.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK? By EDSON R. WAITE Shawnee, Okla.

These radical economy talks have helped to paralyze business, increase unemployment and keep commodity prices way down. It has done much to cut down the buying power of the people to a lower average than for many years.

Economy preached morning, noon and night, month after month, by a lot of more or less prominent people through big city newspapers, magazines and the radio, has done much to make America Economy-minded.

Advocating the cutting of wages, taking benefits away from disabled war veterans, a drive for a wholesale discharge of government, state, county and city workers and the crippling of our schools by unwise economy will just add to the unemployed and still further cut the buying power of our people.

Employment for the unemployed, better prices and markets for our agricultural and manufactured products can be increased only through increasing the buying power of our people and not cutting it down, as only through the buying and selling of more goods and products at better prices can we again have a prosperous country.

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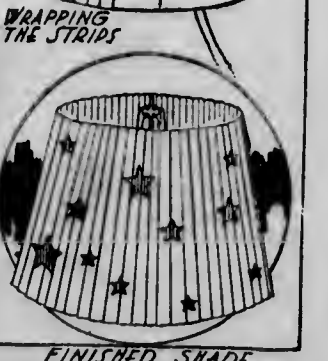
ONE of the most important adjuncts to the charm of any room is its lamp shades, and the modern trend for colourful shades, each with a touch of individuality, is nowhere better shown than in the in-



creasing popularity of shades, made in the home, of shimmering colourful material that looks equally well when the light is on and when it is not. The Diana Shade is 10 inches in diameter and made on a wire frame, in many cases an old frame the covering of which has been discarded. "Cellophane", in a roll, some colored crepe paper, a few gummed blue, red, or gold stars and a yard and a half of ribbon for binding are the materials needed. Many color combinations can be made. Having secured either an old or new wire frame, cut the paper slightly more than the height of the frame and as wide as two of the sections made by the wire uprights. Stretch and paste it over two sections, pressing it down neatly top and bottom. Trim off the surplus. Proceed around the frame until it is all covered with the paper. Then stick stars, or colorful cut-outs of any sort, here and there upon the paper.

"Cellophane" in overlapping strips is used for the outer and inner wrapping. The roll of this material should be cut into inch wide strips and folded to a half inch

width. The strips can be cut the entire length of the roll by withdrawing the cardboard tube and slitting the roll lengthwise. This long transparent strip is wound up, over, down and up again, over-



lapping the strips half their width until the frame is covered. The shade may be bound top and bottom with silk, velvet or other attractive binding ribbon which may be glued into place. Plain transparent or coloured "Cellophane" in rolls, may be obtained at department, stationery and chain stores.

General Business Conditions

World economy has recovered some of the poise it lost during the recent period of heated discussion and day-to-day uncertainties. This is not to say taintly regarding intergovernmental dangers to the business world from external influences have been removed or that there is immediate hope for the end of unstable currencies and prices, the blocking of capital investments or the readjustment of tariffs. Indeed, it is the delay in presenting a united front to these and other trade depressants which seem to have prevented a continuance of that upward movement in business, or at least the complete consolidation of all the gains, prior to the time when the intergovernmental debts question was revived.

The salient features then were, first, a fairly sharp rise in world industrial production between July and September, particularly in Germany and the United States, where it was of more than seasonal proportions; and, secondly that the general movement seems to have been directly connected, as was the earlier upturn in bond prices, with the Lausanne agreement, as well as with some of the large-scale emergency measures undertaken by governments, such as the activities of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in the United States and the economic program of the Von Papen Government in Germany. These developments can be regarded as highly important and significant when they are considered in relation to the general record of world trade and production, with which we deal in the next section of this Letter, and from which it will be seen that a good part of the world's economic life has been crushed out during the last three or four years.

Preliminary reports indicate that this improvement continued through October and part of November—in fact, into December in a few countries—but that latterly there was a marked change in the general trend due to the downward movement in the United States.

We see, then, wholesome influences rebuffed in world industry, followed by some clogging of the machinery resulting from the failure of co-operative effort to keep it working smoothly and to accelerate its pace. Yet, owing to the passing of financial panic some months ago and to the strength derived from the favorable political and commercial developments of the summer and early autumn, the

fresh storm predicted by some commentators as about to arise from the intergovernmental debts controversy has blown over and business is again in the mood to respond to any political stimulus, or even the lifting of political restraints upon trade. We believe that the challenge which business now makes to politics will be answered by some action which will bring partial, if not complete, success to all concerned, rather by indifference, which must result in further grinding process of a deepening depression.

CANADIAN BUSINESS

The trend of Canadian business during the past month or so has been much as was indicated in the preceding issue of this Letter; there has been a commercial developments of the decline in the secondary, and a belated upturn in the major, industries. The November steel production was the largest for any month, except one, of the past year. While the automobile plants were less active than in October they are reported to have become busier in December. Contrary to the usual record, newsprint production rose in November, while the mill stocks of this product declined, both of which developments indicate a slightly healthier situation in this important industry, at least for the time being. New construction contracts awarded in November were in excess of those in October, but the December figures were disappointingly small, and the year 1932 closed with work of this kind of progress but little more than one third of that at the end of 1931. Having regard to the latter factor, as well as to the irregularity of industrial operations earlier in the season, it is gratifying to note that the general employment situation has not deteriorated as much as a year ago; in fact, the latest official report shows comparatively stability in the large field which it covers.

The foreign trade returns for November reveal a decline in the value of exports and a rise in that of imports, but there was a quite substantial favorable visible balance and there is the promise of a surplus of exports over imports of about 50 million dollars for the calendar year as compared with a deficit of 11 million dollars in 1931. Exports of Canadian wheat have continued in exceptionally large volume, averaging for the first part of December about 8 million bushels per week, the highest of the current wheat year, and being more than double those of the corresponding period of 1931.

The predominant position of Canada in the world wheat mar-

ket cannot be maintained during the next few months, in which the southern hemisphere crops always find their largest markets, although it is reasonable to assume that the Canadian cereal will be sold in larger quantity than during the winter of 1931. There is an impression in some circles that Canada might greatly increase her seasonal exports above the average by deflating her dollar to the level of the pound sterling but some important qualifications should be attached by any such viewpoint. In the first place, both Argentina and Australia have large new crops which have to be disposed of if they are to meet their external debt service, to say nothing of the necessity of providing their growers with whatever income the crops will fetch.

In such circumstances it requires a great stretch of imagination to believe that Canada can oust these two competitors, especially Argentina, from the market in a period in which their crops naturally move there to in the greatest volume, although we repeat that during the current season Canadian wheat should be saleable in larger quantity than a year ago, not only because there is now an abnormally heavy exportable surplus, but also because of its superior quality, and the advantage of it possesses in the British market over Argentine wheat, which is subject to the tariff of 6 cents per bushel applicable to non-empire wheat.—Can. Bank of Commerce monthly Letter.

Johnny: "Say, dad, remember the story you told me about the time you were expelled from school?"

Dad: "Yes."

Johnny: "Well, isn't it funny how history repeats itself?"

Shoemaker: "Well, there's yer shoes all soled, where's the money?"

Scotchman: "Yes, where is it?"

Your sign says "Shoes soled while you wait for a dollar, try and get it."

Smith and Brown were making their first trip across the ocean. Smith soon found his sea legs, but Brown was less fortunate and was forced to retire to his cabin. After a while, Smith burst in upon him. "Come on," he shouted, "there's something I want to show you!"

Brown groaned. "What is it?" he asked. "It's the most wonderful sailing ship," said Smith. "I don't want to see a ship," Brown returned. "Call me when you see a tree."

SOME WHY'S

Mickie, the Printer's Devil

Why is it, I'd like to know, that a man who wouldn't ask a grocer for a free bar of soap with an order of groceries, will expect free reading notices because he runs an ad in our paper?

Why will a merchant who resents "trading out of town" calmly send his printing orders to a printer who lives in a nearby city?

Why will a businessman who refuses to advertise in his home paper become indignant when the editor sells some space to out of town firms?

Why is it that the heaviest advertiser is the easiest to please, while the occasional advertiser often expects preferred position and special service?

Winter Sports in Canada

Skiing—Bob-Sledding—Hockey—Curling—Tobogganing—Dog Derbies—Outstanding Attractions

THE invigorating climate of a typical Canadian winter, now regarded as an advantage rather than a hardship, owing to the unusual variety of healthful and appealing sports, is attracting increasing numbers of visitors to the Dominion.

Across Canada there are many beautiful and attractive snow-covered mountains, hills and valleys, which offer exceptional opportunities for enjoying a wide variety of outdoor winter sports. The principal activities throughout the country are skiing, snow-hoeing, skating, tobogganing, curling, hockey, bob-sledding and dog derbies, all of which may be thoroughly enjoyed under ideal conditions. With the exception of an occasional day during mid-winter, the temperature is not too cold for participating in outdoor sports.

While motor travel is not general during the winter season, there are many long stretches of highway which are kept open throughout the winter months. The traveller will always find train service a modern and luxurious means of transportation. Hotels in many of the leading summer resort districts remain open the year round, providing good accommodation for those wishing to participate in local winter events.

Wide Range of Sports in Every Province

Each province possesses winter attractions more or less peculiar to its own particular surroundings. Practically all forms of winter sport are available in the Maritime Provinces, but a preference is shown for hockey and curling. In the province of Quebec the major sport events centre in and around Montreal, Quebec City, Murray Bay and the Laurentian mountains. Lovers of winter sports will find vast territories in Ontario which are rich in location and in scenic beauty. Ottawa, the federal capital, is adjacent to some of the finest skiing country on the continent, while the



best of post-holing may be enjoyed in Toronto. Along the water-front of Lake Huron, in the Muskoka and Algonquin Park districts, hotels and lodges are open for the accommodation of winter visitors. In Manitoba the Winnipeg bonspiel also the winter carnival held at The Pas, are annual events of international interest, while Banff, situated in the scenic Canadian Rockies in Alberta, is one of the most important centres for winter sports. Record performances in ski-jumping have been witnessed at Revelstoke. The islands and mainland of the

southwestern part of British Columbia offer golf, tennis and other summer sports, for the winter visitor.

Government Bureau Information Service

Information concerning winter sports in Canada may be obtained from the National Development Bureau, Department of the Interior at Ottawa. Those who desire such information should state, if possible, the particular district or districts in which they are interested, in order that the most complete data may be supplied.

ZANE GREY'S

HERITAGE OF THE DESERT

MATINEE SATURDAY, 1 p.m.

Stock-Taking SPECIALS

Remnants at Prices to Please. Call in and see.

Raymond Mercantile

COMPANY, LIMITED
THE BIG DEPARTMENT STORE

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE NEWS RUN WILL CONCLUDE ABOUT JANUARY 25th

The Raymond Women's Institute held their annual Social on Thursday evening, Jan. 12th at the home of Mrs. Joseph Kirkham, the evening being pleasantly spent in playing "Whist". High scores were won by Mrs. Robert Webster and Mrs. Frelen Dahl. Consolation prizes going to Mrs. Clifton Nalder and Mrs. Ada O'Brien. There were thirty-one ladies present. During the evening a presentation was made to the retiring president, Mrs. John Powelson, who has been an active Institute member since 1913. Mrs. Powelson has served as local president for 5 years, and Constituency representative for 2 years of this time.

The members presented Mrs. Powelson with a table lamp and the following sentiments written by Mrs. C. Nilsson and read by Mrs. Frank Leavitt: Dear Mrs. Powelson, the members of the Raymond Women's Institute are grateful to you for your loyalty, your friendliness, and devotion to the organization, but most of all for your wonderful leadership.

Under your guidance the Raymond Women's Institute has made splendid progress. The members of the organization wish you to accept this small token of their love and esteem and they hope that this lamp will shed rays of light round about you as you have shed rays of light about them.

At the close of the social a dainty lunch was served. The next meeting of the Institute will be held Feb. 9th at 8 p.m. in the United Church, a splendid program is being prepared and all are welcome.

To Whom It May Concern

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor and the Municipal Council of the Town of Raymond, propose passing a By-law authorizing the closing and selling to the purchasers the following streets and lanes situated within the town of Raymond:

Columbia Avenue, between Blocks 29 and 30	Plan 2039 I
Columbia Avenue between Blocks 53 and 54	Plan 2039 I
Utah Avenue between Blocks 19 and 20	Plan 2039 I
Utah Avenue between blocks 39 and 40	Plan 2039 I
Range Avenue between Blocks 23 and 24	Plan 2039 I
Range Avenue between Blocks 45 and 46	Plan 2039 I
Range Avenue between Blocks 75 and 76	Plan 2039 I
Sugar Avenue between Blocks 15 and 16	Plan 2039 I
Sugar Avenue between Blocks 35 and 36	Plan 2039 I
Sugar Avenue between Blocks 61 and 62	Plan 2039 I
Fourth East between Block 65 and Field	Plan 2039 I
Line through Block 65	Plan 2039 I
Street between Blocks 181 and 196	Plan 4489 J
Street between Blocks 182 and 195	Plan 4489 J

Dated at the Town of Raymond, this 21st day of January, A. D., 1933.

O. H. SNOW, Sec.-Treas., Town of Raymond.

MAGRATH HIGH TAKES GAME WITH 34-24 SCORE

In a game which was featured by fast floor work, hard and very clean playing from start to finish, the Garden City High School squad bested the local High to the tune of 34-24 before a good-sized crowd, the High School students being there nearly one hundred per cent.

It was a good game to watch as from the first whistle to the last, both of the teams went into action, and kept up a terrific pace that showed good training and plenty of stay with it. Considering the speed of the game it was very clean, neither team losing a player for personals, which is unusual in such a fast moving game. Ken Stone and Butler Nalder had the whistles and kept the game well in hand all the way through.

Magrath had a little the edge all the way through, as most of their players are in their second or third year of League Ball, and Raymond on the other hand has only Frank Weaver, who has been on the regular lineup. But Solon Low is building up a real fighting machine, and they gave the visitors plenty to keep them busy. Fay Walker, Billy Meeks, Ross and Bruce King, Smellie Redd, Paul Fairbanks, Frank Weaver and one or two others work like double triggered lightning, and it is just plenty of work to keep track of them. More accuracy in shooting and intercepting of passes, coupled with their speed will make them a formidable machine.

The score and players follow: MAGRATH: Lee Barker 8; Don Barker, 5; Ralph Barker, 4; Bennett, 6; Turner, 9; Merkeley, 1; Miller, 0; Lloyd, 0; Toomer, 1. Total 34.

RAYMOND: B. King, 0; Fairbanks, 0; Meeks, 14; Weaver, 7; Redd, 1; Walker, 2; R. King, 0. Total 24.

JUNIORS WIN PRELIMINARY

The R. H. S. Juniors and the Stirling Midgets furnished the fun in the preliminary which was featured by some good playing and lots of noise and fun.

On Raymond's lineup Winston Shaw was the star of the floor, and was building the hemp from all corners of the floor, and seemed to carry a rabbit's foot or something else, as he seemed he could not miss the hoop. The score in this encounter was 30-12 for Raymond.

LOCAL SINGER HEARD OVER RADIO

By special request, Mrs. Blanche Scoville sang a number or two over Radio Station CJOC, Lethbridge, Wednesday afternoon for the U.F.W.A. Convention which was in session there.

It was not our good fortune to hear the broadcast, but those who listened in spoke highly of the pleasing song, and accompanied by Mrs. Wm. Wiggle at the piano and the Laycock boys on the violin it made a very pleasing combination indeed.

PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting is called for SATURDAY night, Jan. 21st at 8 p.m. in the Town Hall to discuss the organization of a Ratepayers organization to deal with civic elections and other town affairs. YOU are invited.

BORN to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Milner, on Saturday, Jan. 14th, a boy. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Zane Grey—The name familiar to millions. Do not miss his latest "Heritage of the Desert" Friday and Saturday. No one knows the West like Zane Grey, and this is his favorite — and best story of the cattle range—"Heritage of the Desert" at the Capitol, Friday and Saturday.

NO NEW FACTORY

It is not likely that another Sugar Factory will be erected in Southern Alberta for some time at least. Following considerable discussion and talk of other factories going up, the matter has boiled down to about this: The Canadian Sugar Factories are willing to enlarge the present plant and to increase acreage as much as possible to care for all the beets the growers of Southern Alberta's irrigated districts can supply, and in view of the fact that and, according to growers, an additional factory may cause unprofitable competition in this field, this is as much as they want, and they appear to be ready to carry on under present circumstances, for a year or two, at least.

News Notes

A pair of twins in Amerit, Minn., Evelyn and Ethel Howell of a family of 13 children were 13 years old on Friday, Jan. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron T. Wall were Calgary visitors on Friday and Saturday of last week.

FOR SALE—Quantity of 1st class Cotton Wood fence posts or dancers, good sized butts. Also sawed stove wood, nice and dry. Also a quantity of No. 1 slabs. What offers delivered at your yard. Phone 24 or call at Recorder Office for further information.

One thrill after another — in the greatest of all Western romances — Zane Grey's "Heritage of the Desert" Friday and Saturday.

Elders Lou King and Roy Stone filled a Missionary appointment in Welling on Sunday afternoon last representing the Raymond Second Ward, and in the evening they were in Stirling representing the Raymond First Ward.

Second Ward Primary Conference will be held next Sunday night, and the program will consist of Choruses, Duets and Shadow Pictures, all dealing with Primary work.

A young lady in town was dozing peacefully away in a chair, when, all of a sudden an unusual sensation was felt running up her leg. Well, folks, we won't hold you in suspense any longer, it was a mouse.

—Contributed

The last of "Silver File" of Sugar Beets, found their way into the flumes at 3:30 Thursday and the curtain will soon be rung down now.

Due to a breakdown on the press and necessary delays we are a little late this week with the paper. We hope our readers will bear with us in these unavoidable delays.

Good News

For Your Car

Down Go Prices On Just the Thing Your Car Needs

The following LOW PRICES good till February 15th Only

What we will do:

1. Grind Valves
2. Hone and Adjust Distributor Points
3. Clean Carbon
4. Clean and Adjust Carburetor
5. Tune Motor
6. Test, Clean and Adjust Spark Plugs.
7. Adjust Fan Belt
8. Adjust and Reset Timing Gear
9. Focus Lights
10. Clean Gas Line and Sediment Bulbs
11. Examine and Tighten All Ignition & Battery Wires
12. Check Battery & Refill with Distilled Water

PRICES QUOTED ARE FOR LABOR ONLY

4 Cylinder Motor \$4.95, L. Head 6 Cyl. \$6.50, Valve in Head 6 Cyl. \$5.25

King Motors - Raymond